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Subject: FW: Advisory That West Virginia Entities Are Being Allowed to Operate Construction Projects In Violation of the

Clean Water Act and Request for Stop Work

Attachments: Letter to EPA about WVDEP CWA violations with regard to Construction Stormwater.pdf; Exhibits for Letter to EPA

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Kathy and Jeremy,

Attached to this email is the letter that we received on 7/21. It is a control that are preparing a response too. We are working with our enforcement division on the response and our HQ office had the lead on preparing the letter. To that end, we will most likely be reaching out to your staff to ask some questions.

Feel free to reach out to me with any questions.

Thanks, Michelle

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Subject: Advisory That West Virginia Entities Are Being Allowed to Operate Construction Projects In Violation of the Clean Water Act and Request for Stop Work

Dear Mr. Ross and Mr. Pollins,

Please find attached a letter with referenced exhibits highlighting the actions of the West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection that are allowing entities in WV to operate construction projects in violation of the Clean Water Act. This action affecting hundreds of entities has detrimental effects on waterways throughout WV and beyond.

We look forward to your response and urgent action on this matter.

Best regards,
Dr. Christine Wimer
President, Jefferson County Foundation, Inc.